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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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 -Descriptive title of the Invention  
 -Cross Reference to Related Applications  
 -Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D  
 -Reference to Microfiche Appendix  
 -Background of the Invention  
 -Brief Summary of the Invention  
 -Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*  
 -Detailed Description of the Invention (including drawings, *if filed*)  
 -Claim(s)  
 -Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) *(35 USC 113)* [Total Sheets 5]
- ☒ Oath or Declaration (unexecuted) [Total Sheets 2]  
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*(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)*  
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☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33 (b).
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- ☐ Microfiche Computer Program *(Appendix)*
- ☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission *(if applicable, all necessary)*
  - ☐ Computer Readable Copy
  - ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
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- ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney *(when there is an assignee)*
- ☐ English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
- ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) *(Should be specifically itemized)*
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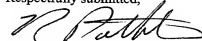
Applicant(s): Wolfgang DietmaierExecuted on: UnexecutedTitle of Invention: METHOD FOR MELTING CURVE ANALYSIS OF REPETITIVE PCR PRODUCTS**PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE**

TYPE	NO. FILED	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
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- ☒ Priority of European Application No. 00 124 897.0 filed on 11-15-00 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in application no. filed
- ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of European Application No. 00 124 897.0, filed November 15, 2001, the content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

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Application of: Wolfgang Dietmaier

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CURVE ANALYSIS OF  
REPETITIVE PCR PRODUCTS

Attorney Docket No.: 5438

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